

The Random Jorrtings of Donald Jay from Nelson Lancashire.

Once upon a time in Nelson, Lancashire, there lived a plumber named Peter. He was well-known in the town for his skills and dedication to his work. One fateful day, Peter found himself facing an unusual task that would forever change his life.

It started with a tragic accident involving a BCN bus driver. The driver had met a gruesome end when his bus collided head-on with a wagon. The incident shocked the entire community, and the bus company was determined to handle the aftermath as swiftly as possible.

Due to the driver's Pakistani heritage, his family wished to send his body back to Pakistan for a proper burial. However, there was a catch. The body had to be sealed in a lead-lined coffin and stamped with a customs seal to comply with the necessary regulations.

Word spread about the unique job requirement, and it eventually reached Peter's ears. Always up for a challenge, he volunteered to take on the task. Little did he know what awaited him.

Arriving at the funeral home, Peter was shown to the room where the body lay. He took a deep breath and approached the open coffin. The sight before him was both eerie and unsettling—a headless body peacefully resting, waiting for its final journey.

Peter began his work, meticulously sealing the coffin with lead. The room was filled with an air of solemnity as he focused on the task at hand. But suddenly, as if driven by an otherworldly force, the headless body sat up in the coffin.

The plumber's heart skipped a beat as he turned around, only to witness the unimaginable. The headless corpse appeared to rise from its resting place, defying the laws of nature. Overwhelmed by shock and fear, Peter's legs gave way, and he fainted right then and there.

In the midst of his unconsciousness, a most unfortunate accident occurred. As his body relaxed, Peter involuntarily soiled his pants, adding an unintended consequence to the already bizarre situation.

Time passed, and eventually, Peter regained consciousness. He found himself lying on the floor, surrounded by concerned onlookers. The realization of what had transpired flooded back, and he felt both embarrassed and relieved to be conscious once again.

News of the plumber's fainting spell and the subsequent mishap quickly spread through the town.

It became a subject of gossip and laughter among the locals, who retold the story with exaggeration and humor.

Though initially embarrassed, Peter eventually learned to laugh at himself, realizing that sometimes life presents us with situations that are simply too strange and unexpected to handle. He continued his plumbing work, and whenever he faced a challenging task, he would remember that fateful day and find the strength to persevere.

And so, the story of the Nelson Lancashire plumber who sealed the headless body in a lead-lined coffin became a legend in its own right. It served as a reminder to the townspeople that life's peculiarities can be the source of both discomfort and amusement, but ultimately, it's our ability to find humor in the face of adversity that allows us to keep moving forward.

By Donald Jay